

Table 2.1 Marital Status of the Population 15 Years and Over by Sex, Hispanic Origin, and Race: March 2002
(Numbers in thousands)

Sex and marital status	Total		Hispanic origin and race 1/					
			Hispanic		Non-Hispanic, White		Non-Hispanic, Other	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total								
Total	221,591	100.0	26,351	100.0	158,258	100.0	36,982	100.0
Married, spouse present	115,854	52.3	12,432	47.2	89,096	56.3	14,325	38.7
Married, spouse absent 2/	2,933	1.3	848	3.2	1,250	0.8	834	2.3
Widowed	14,052	6.3	875	3.3	10,989	6.9	2,189	5.9
Divorced	20,969	9.5	1,739	6.6	15,784	10.0	3,446	9.3
Separated	4,626	2.1	894	3.4	2,332	1.5	1,401	3.8
Never married	63,157	28.5	9,563	36.3	38,807	24.5	14,787	40.0
Male								
Total	106,910	100.0	13,451	100.0	76,602	100.0	16,857	100.0
Married, spouse present	57,927	54.2	6,116	45.5	44,786	58.5	7,025	41.7
Married, spouse absent 2/	1,556	1.5	559	4.2	583	0.8	414	2.5
Widowed	2,638	2.5	147	1.1	2,079	2.7	412	2.4
Divorced	8,697	8.1	713	5.3	6,735	8.8	1,250	7.4
Separated	1,817	1.7	289	2.1	999	1.3	528	3.1
Never married	34,275	32.1	5,627	41.8	21,420	28.0	7,228	42.9
Female								
Total	114,681	100.0	12,900	100.0	81,656	100.0	20,125	100.0
Married, spouse present	57,927	50.5	6,316	49.0	44,310	54.3	7,301	36.3
Married, spouse absent 2/	1,377	1.2	289	2.2	667	0.8	420	2.1
Widowed	11,414	10.0	727	5.6	8,910	10.9	1,776	8.8
Divorced	12,272	10.7	1,026	8.0	9,049	11.1	2,197	10.9
Separated	2,809	2.4	604	4.7	1,332	1.6	872	4.3
Never married	28,883	25.2	3,936	30.5	17,388	21.3	7,559	37.6

1/ Hispanic refers to people whose origin is Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, South or Central American, or other Hispanic/Latino, regardless of race.

2/ Excludes separated.

SOURCE: U.S. Census Bureau, Current Population Survey, March 2002, Ethnic and Hispanic Statistics Branch, Population Division.

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